

A very large eagle has been killing lambs near town.

Andrew Price is in Lewisburg this week attending court.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark are in Marlinton visiting their daughter, Mrs. Andrew Price.

Mrs. Amanda Arbogast, of Monterey, is visiting her son E. M. Arbogast this week.

Claborne Kennison and son are in town finishing up J. W. Cnrys house.

E. M. Johnson is building a large dwelling on his lot in west Marlinton. He is using steel siding.

James Stretch who has been working on the Greenbrier mill, has gone to his home at Greenbank to visit his family.

Thirteen car loads of cattle passed Marlinton Thursday night enroute for the bluegrass pastures of the Clover Creek Cattle Co.

Lloyd Moore, of Lynchburg, is here this week to bid on the First National Bank Building which will be let to contract Thursday.

W. W. Tyree has moved his butcher shop from the Arbogast block to the Yeager building opposite the Bank of Marlinton.

J. A. Judson writing accident insurance in Marlinton the past few weeks, has gone to Cass. S. H. Hiner, at the postoffice has accepted the local agency.

Dr. Judy, of Morton, has been in the county the past week. Coming to Durbin to be associated with Drs. Hill and Yeager in a surgical operation.

Ask us to show you our line of ladies' veste, they are beauties, we have them from five, to fifty cents each. The Pocahontas Bargain house.

A large engine and sawmill outfit was unloaded at Marlinton Monday, and was taken to the Clark place on Williams River, where it will be used in the manufacture of spruce lumber.

Col. Fisher and sons are at work papering the Presbyterian church. George McCollum is building new flues. The old ones which were built of mud and small stones had become dangerous.

Pad Gay and Clarence McLaughlin, have taken another large drove of horses to Rockbridge County. The demand for blue grass horses in the Valley is increasing, and command a good price.

Dr. Yeager assisted by Dr. Hill, Dentist, and Dr. Judy, of Morton, performed a delicate operation on a negro named Goodwyn, at Cass, Saturday, they removed a fibro-cystic tumor from the jaw. It was on the sub maxillary glands, but the patient is making a good recovery.

J. H. White of Highland county, working at the Buena Vista Lumber Companies mill at Stony Bottom, got his leg broke last Wednesday. An engine was sent for Dr. Price, who straightened the injured man out. He is now getting along allright.

Roger Williams, of Highland county, is in Pocahontas this week with his horse, Grey Barney, a large Percheron Norman stallion. He will make the season in Hunterville and Edray districts. This horse is well known in this county and has an excellent shape for a draft animal, combining the length of body of the Norman, with the muscular build of the Percheron.

J. S. McNeel, returned from Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, Monday where he had been visiting his sister. While absent he bought two fine Kentucky bred riding and driving horses. He had no intention of buying horses when he left home, but falling in love with two animals, one a roan mare and the other a bay gelding, he became their owner. Mr. McNeel says that in Kentucky all horses are bred with a purpose in view, and consequently fine horses are the rule rather than the exception.

SHOOTING AT CASS.

G. L. Osborne Shot While in Company With a Man Wanted by the Police.

A Disorderly Man Resists Arrests and Assaults Mayor. C. L. Burner Shoots Osborne Whom He Supposes is Fleeing From Justice.

A woodsman from Upshur, working at the West Virginia Spruce Lumber company's camp on Cheat mountain, became disorderly on the streets of Cass Saturday and Mayor Newcombe attempted to arrest him. The young man denied Mr. Newcombe's right to detain him and spat him on the nose, and made haste to take himself hence and was soon out of the corporate limits, where he was joined by a young man named G. L. Osborne, from the same vicinity in Upshur county. Special policemen C. L. and Allen Burner were notified of this breach of the peace, and started out to arrest him, but failed to swear out warrants for his arrest. Failing to find him in the corporation they made their way toward the lumber camps on Cheat mountain. It was found they were on the track of the men who were making rapidly up the mountain, following the railway grade.

They were nearly a mile from Cass, and having had a considerable start the deputies were out of breath when they came in halting distance. They were called upon to halt by the policemen, but no attention was paid to the command other than to quicken their pace. C. L. Burner then drew a revolver of large caliber and taking deliberate aim shot Osborne in the left thigh, barely missing the femoral artery inflicting a very dangerous wound.

The wounded man was brought to Cass, where he received medical attention at the hands of Dr. Arbuckle. Dr. Price was called in consultation on Tuesday. Osborne is a young man and in good health, and the chances are in his favor.

The policemen C. L. and Allen Burner were given a hearing Monday, charged with felonious shooting, and bound over to await the action of the grand jury under bond of \$500.00 each.

This is C. L. Burner's third shooting scrape in his official career of five or six years. One was the shooting of Craig Ashford, who was wounded in the arm. The other was the killing of Jeff Houchins in self defense while in the discharge of his duty as constable.

Buckeye. Plowing is the order of the day John N. Atkinson was in our town Saturday.

We are glad to say that Willis McKeever is able to be out again. Carl McNeil is in from camp.

Griffie Sheets was home from Camp Friday and Saturday on a visit.

Andy Hefner passed town Saturday with a drove of cattle bound for his father's, L. A. Hefner.

James Adkison is slowly improving but we hope to see him out soon.

Born, to Mr and Everett Hefner, a boy.

George Doyle and Park McNeil are hauling lumber to the Buckeye station from J. L. Sheets.

We are sorry to say the fruit is all killed in this neighborhood.

Deputy Sheriff Samuel Sheets has been around buying cattle.

Honeyuckles.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Road Superintendent of Huntersville District, in the county of Pocahontas, will receive sealed bids until noon, May 15, 1903, for the repairing of the large bridge across Knapps Creek, near Huntersville, said work to be done in accordance with specifications filed with W. H. Barlow, at Huntersville, and S. L. Brown, at Marlinton.

Each bid is to be accompanied with bond with approved security in penalty double the amount of the bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Bids may be filed with either of the above named parties or with the undersigned superintendent.

J. C. HARPER
Road Supt. Huntersville District.

Pocahontas experienced a big snow storm Wednesday.

A Bad Impression

The following has been extensively published and is likely to create a bad impression among persons who are not acquainted with our law abiding citizens.

BAD MAN ARRESTED

DAVE LESTER CAUGHT BY CUNNINGHAM.

HAM.

United States Deputy Marshall D. Cunningham arrested Dave Lester near Marlinton on Wednesday. The prisoner is charged with violating the liquor laws. He has been a fugitive from justice for over two years. He was connected with the same lawless gang as was the notorious Colley, the famous outlaw along Beaver creek, who was shot in a pistol duel by a special deputized constable.

Lester is the last of the gang in this district, which was one of the lawless districts of the state. He is now in the Marlinton jail where he will be held until the June term of the United States Court when he will be brought here for trial.

It is true that Dave Lester has been selling liquor, bootlegging it along the railroad, and has had indictments pending in our circuit court against him for several months, but it has always been understood that when he was really wanted he could be gotten.

Just before April court, deputy sheriff Callison arrested him at Seebert and brought him to jail at Marlinton. He was convicted in several cases for selling liquor without a license, and was rearrested for violating United States revenue laws.

There never has been an organized band of law breakers in Pocahontas county, whose citizens are the most law abiding of the state.

Millpoint.

We still have rain and snow, and farm work is dull.

We are sorry to say that W. H. Auldridge is on the sicklist. McClure & Brindley are doing the cutting for Hill Bros sawmill. Born to Mr and Clait Kellison a boy.

Mann Bros have their mill set and are ready for business.

P. S. Ishler expects to make Seebert his headquarters.

A. L. Hill has been sick and unable to run his engine.

A party of twenty-six persons left Seebert station for Spokane, Washington last week. A large crowd witnessed their departure. We wish them a safe journey and hope they will find good homes.

Miss Lena Gladwell was in Academy Saturday and Sunday.

Burke Hays is farming for J. S. Smith. He says he likes the business.

Lamar Crookshanks has been sick for some days but is back at Hill Bros. Camp cooking.

Marvin Smith who is doing the logging for P. S. Ishler has been under the weather for some days. Charley Ruckman has taken his place in the woods.

Stamping Creek Sunday school was organized last week.

Charlie A. Hoover has quit the log camp, and is now offbearing at Hill Bros sawmill.

Summers Adkison is working for S. J. Payne.

Sunshine.

For Sale.

Seventy acres of good rich land between four and five hundred young fruit trees just coming into bearing, and berries in abundance, two new dwellings, the land all under good fence, watered by five good springs and one well, convenient to railroad, stores, and postoffice. For further particulars write to A. Times Office.

New Arrivals.

At Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Mann's son, April 20th.

At Mr. and Mrs. David Cullinger's, a daughter, April 17.

At Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diehl's a daughter, April 17th.

A petition for a postoffice at Paul Sharps, nine miles above Marlinton has been filed.

J. H. Lantz has purchased the Cleek farm near Maryin, will make it his future residence.

Commendable interest seems to be prevalent, looking to the reception and entertainment of the Presbyterian visitors expected soon.

J. C. HARPER
Road Supt. Huntersville District.

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New Band Mill.

Harter Bros. of Coburn, Penn. notice of whose operations above Marlinton was made some weeks ago, have come on with a train load of live stock, mill equipments, steel rails, trucks, locomotives, etc.

They will put in a temporary

mill with a capacity of 10,000

feet daily to cut timber for their

sheds and houses. This portable

mill is to be replaced by a band

mill, and a bridge built across the

Greenbrier. They expect to

build a good many miles of narrow

gauge railroad and use a cog

wheel engine as some of the

grade to be overcome is heavy.

A full gauge road was to be built

but the margin of safety is decreased

to such an extent by the increase

in size of mountain climbing

engine that it was not deemed

expedient. Some of this company's

timber lies in such inaccessible

places that it is easier to move

a portable mill to it, than to haul

the logs to the band mill. The

mill now being set will be used

for this purpose upon the installation

of the band mill.

The Town of Bartow.

The fight between the C. & O. and the Greenbrier, Monongahela and Pittsburg, over the right of way between Durbin and Bartow has been settled, the C. & O. taking the right of way through the pass at the Narrows in question.

This early settlement is

most advantageous to the town of

Bartow, as work on the U. S.

Tannery will now go on, the

Pocahontas Tanning Company is

also looking for a site at the same

place. This company has decided

to use the town laid out by Col.

McGraw above Bartow. None of

these lots will be sold. Mr.

Arbogast informs us that his

company is preparing to put their

lots on the market at once, and

expects a ready sale. What with

a large tannery on both sides of

the town, Bartow will at once

lead into prominence as an industrial center.

Westward

Walter D. Clark left last Wed-

nnesday for Rawlins, Wyoming,

after spending the winter with his

mother, Mrs. A. S. Clark. He

will engage in business with his

brother-in-law, S. J. Sharp, who

is a successful cattle man, also

raising fine horses for market.

Cheyenne is the distributing

point of a large section in which

high grade horses are raised.

Spruce

Enough snow on Cheat to track

a deer last week. Work was sus-

pended for a couple of days on ac-

count of the snow.

Dunmore

We had a little rain and frost

this week.

Miss Kittie M. Lakin, of New

York State, is visiting her old

friends at Dunmore.

Mrs. E. N. Moore, Mrs. J. P.

Mooman, Dr and Mrs Lockridge